

## COMMISSIONERS TELL OF AJO CONDITIONS

Popularly considered to be forbidding, the desert growth of Arizona has been utilized in the production of a highly artistic effect in the laying out of the new town of Ajo, according to Charles M. Zander, chairman of the state tax commission who with the other members of the commission, returned yesterday from that mining town where they inspected the mining property preparatory to placing it on the assessment rolls of the state.

"A splendid adoption of the desert effect has been secured at Ajo where irrigation water is scarce and where that fact has been taken into consideration in the laying out of the town," said Mr. Zander. "The desert growth has been transplanted to the parks and streets of Ajo and has demonstrated the beauty of what is generally considered to be a barren waste."

The story of Ajo has been told great many times," continued Mr. Zander. "But it has not yet been half told. They are at present putting through ore carrying less than one per cent copper, but this is overburden and must be removed, yet the cost of mining is slight. Consequently, Arizona is standing on the threshold of one per cent copper ore. "The company contemplates the erection of a 10,000-ton concentrator and a smelter to care for the production of the same, to be completed in 1921. This company is making a very handsome showing in operation costs and in margin of safety. Yet they are not satisfied in the results obtained so far and expect to reduce both costs and losses. "No idea of the process employed can be formed by the lay mind without visiting the plant. Mining is done by steam shovel and the treatment is finished by an electrolytic process which produces practically electrolytic copper, copper assaying 99 1/2 per cent. Last February the company broke 200,000 tons of ore at one blast off the side of the mountain, and steam shovels have been working on that broken ore ever since. "The company probably has the largest rock crusher in the state. This crusher will crush 5,000 tons in ten hours. Blocks of ore weighing a ton will go through it. This year this mine will be put on the tax roll for the first time as a producing mine and will approximate a 100 per cent increase in the assessed valuation of Pima county. With this addition, the assessment roll of Pima county, the people of Ajo will demand very extensive road improvements in the vicinity of Ajo which, in all likelihood, will include roads toward Gila, the Maricopa county line, and through the Papago Indian reservation, via Gunsight, to Tucson. "The company uses 180 tons of sulphuric acid daily in the leaching plant. The Calumet and Arizona, of which the Nevada-Cornell company is a subsidiary, makes 200 tons of sulphuric acid daily at their Douglas smelter. One hundred eighty tons of this is shipped daily to Ajo, the other 20 tons being sold commercially."

## LAW COMPELLING THE VACCINATION OF ALL PUPILS CHALLENGED

The state law compelling the vaccination of all school children of Arizona is to be tested in the courts. Harry L. Shedd of Phoenix, president of the Shedd Mercantile service, who has publicly opposed the enforcement of the law, yesterday stated that he had been threatened with arrest unless he vaccinated his son today and responded to the alleged threat with the announcement that he would make a test case of the matter and has called upon persons of the same mind in Phoenix to contribute to a fund to defray the legal expenses.

His announcement is as follows: To whom it may concern: I have been threatened with arrest if I fail to have my boy vaccinated. The threat is from Dr. Sweek of the state board of health of Arizona. I have decided to make a test case of it and see whether or not the law now on our statutes is constitutional and can be enforced. There will, of course, be an expense attached to the suit, and not feeling financially able to bear the burden alone, I believe those who are with me in the contest will assist me in the financial part. Make your contributions at once in any amount you desire, either at my office or by mail. Should there be any more sent to me than is needed, it will be pro-rated back to you when the suit is decided.

HARRY L. SHEDD, 212 Fleming Building. "Although there has been no order issued yet to have the school children vaccinated," said Mr. Shedd last night, "Dr. Sweek called me up by telephone this afternoon and told me that if I did not have my boy vaccinated tomorrow he would have me arrested. I asked Dr. Beauchamp, city health officer, whether any such order had yet been issued and he said no, but that he intended to issue the order in a few days."

"I am not a Christian Scientist," declared Mr. Shedd, "but I do not believe in vaccination and intend to see whether this law will stand. I have never met Dr. Sweek and do not know who he singled me out for this attack. More than 100 people during the past few days have assured me of their entire sympathy and support in this matter, and I feel certain that there will be plenty of money subscribed to pay all expenses of a suit."

## WANTED ONE FLING BEFORE SOLDIERING

Declaring that he was only preparing for "one last time before he went to war," Barnard Hirsigoyen, arrested by Officer Marks in Glendale yesterday on the charge of bootlegging, told Judge Stanford that he had only intended to have a last fling.

Hirsigoyen stated that some sheepherders had requested him to bring them a bottle but when taken into custody by the officer, the bottle took the proportion of several quarts.

Hirsigoyen's case has not yet been set for trial.

For Perfection and Puritan oil stoves see Wilby-Warman Oil Co., 145 W. Jefferson street.—Adv.

Help US ring  
it again!



## This Is Baby Week at The Boston Store

Big "Young America" Parade Saturday, 4 P. M. Bring All the Babies in Phoenix!

New Spring Neckwear  
For Women, Values  
to 79c at 59c.

—Collars and collars and cuffs of  
Voile, Organdie and Georgette.  
—White and colors in combination  
of Venice and Pilet Lace.

N. Diamond & Bro. Phoenix, Arizona  
201-209 East Washington St.  
**BOSTON STORE**  
THE POPULAR SHOPPING CENTER

Pretty Dress Gingham  
25c and 29c Values at 19c

—Plaids, Stripes, Checks and Plain  
Colors.  
—Boston Store Today

## UNUSUAL VALUES IN WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSE

Infants Silk Hose 50c

—Pink silk in pink, blue, black and tan.

—All sizes.

Infants Silk Lisle Sox 50c

—A highly mercerized quality that's worth  
more.

Infants Silk Sox 59c

—Colors are pink, blue and white.

—Spliced heel and toe.

—White only.

Main Floor

Women's Silk Hose \$1.50

—A most satisfactory quality.

—Black, White and most desirable colors.

Women's Fiber Silk Hose

Worth \$1.00 a pair at 59c

—They were bought before the present higher  
prices.

—Black, White and Colors.

Main Floor

The Big Shoe Sale Continues Today

Women's Stylish Spring Shoes  
Values up to \$15.00 at \$7.50

—White, Grey, Tan and Brown Kid Boots, lace  
style—All new.

—And all sizes.

—Come early, before the sizes are broken

Main Floor



Heeding The  
"Little Things"

—When "millions" and "billions"  
and "big tasks" become the topic  
of a nation, there's a possibility  
of forgetting the "little things"  
that are not recorded in money.

—A cheerful, smile, a pleasant  
greeting, a sincere "thank you"—  
just the little every-day cour-  
tesies that many of us forget—  
will do much to make the passing  
days more pleasant.

—Common sacrifices are doing  
their share toward making us  
"one big family"—patience and  
thoughtfulness will make the "big  
family" more congenial. They  
cost nothing; they pay wonderful  
dividends in happiness.

—So let us in business and in  
social activities, "downtown or at  
home," be thoughtful, kind and  
courteous—make each day easier  
and pleasanter through "heeding  
the little things."

## About 300 Women's Spring Coats Bought at Special Prices Go on Sale TODAY

Our Entire Stock of

Silk Suits and Silk  
Coats

25 Per Cent Discount

—Most handsome spring styles, some with Mara-  
boa trimming.

—Colors are Copen, Taupe, Silver Grey, Navy  
Black and Novelties.

—Mezzanine Floor

Prettiest Dresses for  
Junior and Growing Girls

—The cutest dresses in sizes from 12 to 18 years.

—Splendid showing in Silk plaids and stripes, as  
well as plain white and plain colors.

—Mezzanine Floor



One Lot of Coats, Values  
Up to \$15.00 at \$7.90

—Here you'll find many good models—all this sea-  
sons styles.

—In short, 3-4 and full length coats.

—Mixtures and plaids.

Another Lot of Women's Coats,  
Values Up to \$20.00 at \$10.90

—Made of Covert Cloth, Mixtures, Velours, Burel-  
las, Gaberdines, Wool Poplins, Plaids and  
Checks.

—A splendid assortment of new styles in all sizes.

—Mezzanine Floor.

A Big Lot of Handsome Spring  
Coats, Values up to \$25.00 at \$14.50

—Now is the time to take advantage of an unusual opportunity.  
—Here are Coats of Velour, Poplins, Serges and Scotch Tweeds.  
—An endless variety of new Spring Styles.  
—Sale Starts Today.

Boston Store—Mezzanine Floor.

Another Great Shipment  
of Tub Silks on sale  
at per yard \$1.25

—Prettiest patterns for men's shirts, women's waists, separate  
skirts or dresses.

—Dozens of assorted stripes and color combinations.

Main Floor

A Most Complete Showing of New  
Silks for Spring at \$1.39, \$1.69 \$1.98 Per Yard

—Yes, we know there are patterns her ethat you'll admire.

—And our guarantee is back of the quality.

—New plaids, stripes and fancy novelties.

Main Floor

Crepe de Chine, Extra  
Heavy Per Yard \$2.39

—A quality that's worth now \$3.00 a yard.

—The well known "Gilt Edge" Silk that most women know.

—Width 36 inches.

1800 Yds. of Beautiful Wash  
Skirting Go on Sale at 29c Yd.

—Just now, when you are planning the making of your summer skirts  
comes the announcement of an unusual opportunity.

—Basket weaves, cords, piques, Gaberdines, and fancy Novelty weaves and  
some with designs in colors.

—Values up to 50c a yard, 29c a yard at the Boston Store.

Main Floor

36-inch Percales  
go on sale today  
Boston Store 19c

—Just what you want for aprons, house dresses or children's  
dresses.

—Light and dark colors—25c value.

Main Floor

Cotton and Silk Crepe  
de Chine Per Yard 39c

—36-inch wide and come in all the best new shades.

—Worth 59c a yard.

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Special Sale of Black  
Chiffon Taffetas, \$1.39

—A quality that's worth \$2.00 a yard.

—Splendid assortment of stripes for men's shirts, women's waists  
and summer dresses.

Main Floor

## Unusual Bargains for FRIDAY and SATURDAY Shoppers

Highly Mercerized Table  
Damask, Per Yard 69c

—66 inches wide in assorted patterns.

—Pink, blue or orange border.

Main Floor.

Huck Towels 10c

—Good quality and size, all with red border.

—They're worth more.

Main Floor.

Stylish Sleeveless  
Sweaters \$5.90

—In all colors and combinations of colors.

—Also a lot of Fiber silk sweater in solid colors,  
worth up to \$14.50.

Main Floor

Listen to This News—About  
100 Silk Camisoles Go On  
Sale Today at 49c

—Bought at a special price and selling the same way.

—Pink and white with the lace top and shoulder  
straps.

—See them today.

Main Floor.

And Here's a Lot of Crepe  
de Chine Camisoles at 98c

—The kind that you've seen everywhere at \$1.50.

—Some of them are embroidered in pretty designs,  
others have lace and heading.

—Don't overlook this bargain at the Boston Store.

Main Floor

## At The Boston Store Today—Special Sale of Underwear

Women's Night Gowns of  
Nice Quality at \$1.19

—Most of them embroidered on fine Nainsook, some of them smoked,  
others are trimmed in lace.

Main Floor.

Extra Special! Women's  
Night Gowns 59c

—The material alone is worth more.

—Good, full sizes, lace trimmed.

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Muslin Petticoats at \$1.19

—See how well made they are. "Dove Brand" make.

—All with high embroidery flounce.

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Children's Union Suits,  
Extra Special at 50c

—Well made, taped and have bone buttons.

—Sizes from 2 to 12 years.

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Children's Cub Waists  
25c Quality at 19c

—Fine ribbed, taped and bone buttons.

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Women's Envelope Style  
Union Suits at 79c

—You'll like the style—it's an extra nice garment in all sizes.

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Women's Union Suits  
\$1.00 Quality at 69c

—Tight or lace knee, silk taped neck and some lace trimmed.

Women's Summer Vests  
25c Values at 15c

—Good quality with crochet top, Boston Store Special.

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Women's Union Suits,  
Regular and Extra Sizes at 90c

—Tight or lace knee or shell knee.

—An extraordinary good value.

—At the Boston Store Today.

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Women's Pink Union  
Suits—Special 59c

—Most popular undergarment just now.

—Tight knee and French top.

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